



Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges

Summary Report

Based on Number of Reported Cases

January - September 2008

Juvenile Court: **Lawrence**

Court Number: **50**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **519**

Children: **491**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:

Each case may include up to 5 referral reasons therefore the number of total referral reasons, referral sources, intake actions, formal/informal actions and person executing the action may be greater than the total number of cases.

1	0.19%	Criminal Homicide
1	0.19%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
2	0.38%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
1	0.19%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
2	0.38%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
1	0.19%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
1	0.19%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
17	3.26%	Assault
1	0.19%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
2	0.38%	Arson
2	0.38%	Aggravated Burglary
12	2.30%	Theft of Property
4	0.77%	Vandalism
0	0.00%	Forgery



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0	0.00%	Worthless Checks
0	0.00%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
4	0.77%	Burglary
0	0.00%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
0	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
1	0.19%	Other Drug Offenses
10	1.92%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
3	0.58%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
0	0.00%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
1	0.19%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
10	1.92%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
0	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
1	0.19%	Harassment
0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
4	0.77%	Disorderly Conduct
5	0.96%	Criminal Trespass
2	0.38%	Public Intoxication
1	0.19%	Gambling
118	22.65%	Traffic
1	0.19%	Local Ordinances
5	0.96%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	0.00%	Contempt of Court
0	0.00%	Violation of Probation



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0	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
14	2.69%	Unruly Behavior
18	3.45%	Truancy
0	0.00%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
17	3.26%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
4	0.77%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
1	0.19%	Physically Abused Child
5	0.96%	Dependency / Neglect
0	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Foster Care Review
11	2.11%	Custody
1	0.19%	Visitation
23	4.41%	Paternity / Legitimation
212	40.69%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
2	0.38%	Other
521	100.00%	Total Referrals



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Referral Sources: 1

217	41.65%	Law Enforcement
21	4.03%	Parents
6	1.15%	Relatives
0	0.00%	Self
30	5.76%	School
0	0.00%	CSA
3	0.58%	DCS
0	0.00%	Other State Department
235	45.11%	District Attorney's Office
0	0.00%	Court Staff
0	0.00%	Social Agency
0	0.00%	Other Court
7	1.34%	Victim
0	0.00%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
2	0.38%	Other
521	100.00%	Total Referral Sources

Age of Child at Referral: 2

182	37.07%	Ages 10 and Under
12	2.44%	Ages 11 through 12
46	9.37%	Ages 13 through 14
115	23.42%	Ages 15 through 16
132	26.88%	Ages 17 through 18
4	0.81%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
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Sex of Child: 1

296	60.29%	Male
195	39.71%	Female
0	0.00%	Unknown
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Race of Child: 1

463	94.30%	White
28	5.70%	African American
0	0.00%	Native American
0	0.00%	Asian
0	0.00%	Mixed
0	0.00%	Unknown
491	100.00%	Total Child Count

Hispanic Origin: 1

8	1.63%	Yes
483	98.37%	No
0	0.00%	Unknown
491	100.00%	Total Child Count

School Enrollment of Children: 1

321	65.38%	Yes
115	23.42%	No
55	11.20%	Unknown
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Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1

85	17.31%	With Both Biological Parents
1	0.20%	With Father and Stepmother
0	0.00%	With Mother and Stepfather
242	49.29%	With Mother
23	4.68%	With Father
38	7.74%	With Relatives
5	1.02%	With Adoptive Parents
34	6.92%	With Foster Family
3	0.61%	In a Group Home
1	0.20%	In a Residential Center
0	0.00%	In an Institution
2	0.41%	Independent
53	10.79%	Unknown
4	0.81%	Other
491	100.00%	Total Child Count

Type of Detention: 2

2	0.39%	Non-Secure Placement
3	0.58%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
514	99.04%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1

0	0.00%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
3	0.58%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail
0	0.00%	Shelter / Group Home
0	0.00%	Foster Family Home
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
515	99.23%	Does Not Apply
1	0.19%	Other
519	100.00%	Total Placement Count

Intake Actions: 2

379	72.74%	Petition Filed
1	0.19%	Motion Filed
141	27.06%	Citation Processed
0	0.00%	Notification of Paternity Processed
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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Last Grade Completed by Child: 1

108	22.00%	Too Young for School
0	0.00%	Preschool
0	0.00%	Kindergarten
0	0.00%	1st Grade
0	0.00%	2nd Grade
0	0.00%	3rd Grade
0	0.00%	4th Grade
0	0.00%	5th Grade
0	0.00%	6th Grade
0	0.00%	7th Grade
0	0.00%	8th Grade
0	0.00%	9th Grade
1	0.20%	10th Grade
0	0.00%	11th Grade
0	0.00%	12th Grade
0	0.00%	Non-Graded Special Ed
0	0.00%	GED
0	0.00%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
382	77.80%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
491	100.00%	Total Child Count

Enrolled in Special Education: 1

1	0.20%	Yes
108	22.00%	No
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Action Executed By: 1

521	100.00%	Judge
0	0.00%	Referee
0	0.00%	YSO
0	0.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
521	100.00%	Total Action Count

Formal / Informal Actions: 1

189	36.28%	Dismissed
29	5.57%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
39	7.49%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
39	7.49%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
13	2.50%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
1	0.19%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
9	1.73%	Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
0	0.00%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
0	0.00%	Special Proceeding
0	0.00%	Review Concluded
0	0.00%	Case Held Open
202	38.77%	Other
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Case Outcomes:

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139	26.73%	Case Dismissed
32	6.15%	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
4	0.77%	Warned / Counseled
10	1.92%	Held Open For Review
1	0.19%	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
0	0.00%	Probation to Parents
2	0.38%	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
7	1.35%	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
0	0.00%	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	0.00%	Referred to Alternative School
0	0.00%	Referred to Private Child Agency
8	1.54%	Referred to Defensive Driving School
10	1.92%	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
0	0.00%	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
3	0.58%	Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
1	0.19%	Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%	Private MR Placement
0	0.00%	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
0	0.00%	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
28	5.38%	Fine
61	11.73%	Public Service
6	1.15%	Restitution
0	0.00%	Runaway Returned
0	0.00%	No Contact Order
0	0.00%	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
0	0.00%	House Arrest
0	0.00%	Court Defined Curfew
1	0.19%	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
1	0.19%	Released from Probation
1	0.19%	Transferred to Adult Court
0	0.00%	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment



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0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Determinate
8	1.54%	DCS Commitment - Custody
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	0.00%	DCS Intensive Probation
0	0.00%	Other Intensive Probation
14	2.69%	DCS Probation
0	0.00%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%	Supervision by DCS
6	1.15%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
1	0.19%	Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	0.00%	Order of Reference to DCS
0	0.00%	Court Costs
0	0.00%	Foster Care Terminated
0	0.00%	Foster Care Continued
18	3.46%	Custody Changed
1	0.19%	Custody Unchanged
1	0.19%	Visitation Changed
0	0.00%	Visitation Unchanged
0	0.00%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
22	4.23%	Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated
0	0.00%	Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated
134	25.77%	Child Support Granted
0	0.00%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Denied
0	0.00%	Other
520	100.00%	Total Outcome Count
